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Sir:

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, and in accordance with 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98, Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, submits this Information Disclosure Statement. No copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications cited on the attached Form PTO-1440 are submitted. Copies of the cited foreign documents are enclosed. The Examiner is requested to make these references of record in the file of this application.

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Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that no fee is required by the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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